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TALK OF THE TOWN

Twelve specials Saturday at Shea's. Baby carriages, sulkies and park strollers. Saddlers, Keith avenue.

Regular meeting of local 488, M. P. U. Sunday, April 7, at 3. W. J. Gilbertson, Sec.

C. A. Caron of Beckley court returned last evening from a short business trip to Burlington.

You can get your wants supplied in newest patterns of wall papers at B. W. Hooker & Co.'s.

Members of the Sodality of the B. V. M. will receive holy communion in a body at the 9 o'clock mass Sunday.

Charles F. Young, who formerly conducted a retail shoe store in Barre, arrived in the city yesterday for a business visit.

George W. Hunt, a veteran of the Civil war, who has been renewing acquaintances with old friends in Massachusetts, returned to the city yesterday.

"What Happened to Jones," at the Spaulding assembly hall April 12, will provide an enjoyable evening's entertainment for both old and young.

Miss Annie Sargent, a member of the senior class at Goddard seminary, left yesterday forenoon for her home in Warren, where she will spend a few days.

William D. McDonald, who was formerly engaged in the granite business here and in East Barre, arrived in the city yesterday for a visit of several days.

Miss Grace Ingalls and Mrs. Hattie Tillotson of South Main street, who are teachers in the city schools, left yesterday for Northfield, where they will spend the remainder of the Easter vacation at their home.

Special sale of oil stoves, with kerosene burner. Will save one-half of your kerosene oil. Ansore blue flame, two burners, \$8; three-burner, \$12. Perfection oil stoves and wicks, Quick Meal gasoline stoves. Low prices on Andes ranges. E. A. Prindle, Worthen block.

Auction sale of practically new furniture, only been used three months, for Mrs. E. A. Furbush at 77 Merchant street, city, tomorrow at 1 o'clock in the afternoon. Not a large lot of this property, but everything nice, sleek and clean, people leaving town, so everything will be closed out to the highest bidder. C. F. Smith, auctioneer.

Peter Gonyo arrived in the city last evening from Philadelphia, Pa., where he is at present attached to the League Island Hospital navy yard, to spend a ten-day furlough at the home of his brother on the west hill. Mr. Gonyo, for some time prior to his enlistment in the navy several months ago, was employed as a clerk in the Smith & Cummings store.

The funeral of Adilio Nativi, who was killed by a falling stone at the Peerless Granite Co.'s plant on Burnham's meadow Wednesday morning, will be held from the house of E. Marchesi, 7 Cleveland avenue, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and all the young man's friends are invited to attend and march with the body to the grave in Hope cemetery.

A telegram from the man's sister in Frankfort, Ill., stated that she was ill and could not attend the funeral. His parents, who reside in Italy, are to be notified soon. The young man got a letter only last week, saying that his mother was about to enter a hospital.

Among the contributors to the centennial stairway of granite which is projected at Norwich university is the granite manufacturing firm of Barclay Bros. of Barre, which has offered to furnish one of the granite landings. The stairs are to be erected along the brow of the hill leading to the university buildings at Northfield, and it is expected that the steps will be completed in 1919, the anniversary of the founding of Norwich by Capt. Partridge. The landings, on either one having been given by Phillips & Slack, Northfield manufacturers, are to command fine views of the village and surrounding country. Mrs. Laura Ainsworth, a well known Williamstown woman, has given a step in memory of Capt. Ainsworth.

The Homer Fitts company formally opened the new department of the store yesterday afternoon, which has been undergoing alterations during the past few weeks. The new department, which was formerly known as the annex, will in the future be known as the Dainty Apparel shop and will be under the supervision of Miss Gertrude Jerome of Montpelier, who has been employed for a number of years at the McCuen store.

The walls of this department have been painted in a French gray hue. A large number of shelves are stocked with ladies' and children's muslin wear, corsets and patterns. In the rear of this department an attractive rest room has been provided for the use of weary purchasers, as well as for others who may find it to their convenience. In connection with the opening of this shop, which makes an attractive addition to the main body of the store, a special matinee was given yesterday afternoon at the Park theatre, an interesting picture called "The Social Key" being shown before a large number of women.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Advises Laboring Men to Work on Farms Too.

Editor, Barre Times: Can't you or I do something or say something to the city and town people to make them realize where we are at in regard to the food situation?

It is the government's duty to see to getting our soldiers across and to see that they are provided for, and it is the farmers' duty to back up the government and they are going to do it just as far as possible with what they have to do with.

Now the farmers are not in sympathy with the eight-hour-a-day laboring class at this time, as this deprives them of any chance of getting help at a reasonable price, in fact, at any price.

Now there are hundreds of acres of good land in Washington county that will not raise anything but grass this year, unless someone besides the owners of this land takes hold and raises crops upon it. Now I would suggest that the laboring class put in 14 hours per day for the next few months (as the farmers have to do) and use five or six hours a day raising crops, either working for the farmers at a price they can afford to pay or bunch together and work the land themselves. I think perhaps it would work out better to work at their trade for four days in the week and on the land two days.

It is very evident that something has got to be done along this line, and done right off, or somebody is going hungry and it won't be the farmers that are hungry. We don't bear anything about conservation on everything else, why not on this more than useless articles? And use those acres and labor on something worth while.

Now the farm bureau stands ready to help out in any way that it can at any time.

C. A. Badger.
Sec. Vermont Farmers' War Council.
East Montpelier, Vt., April 4, 1918.

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A Few Timely Suggestions

Every day now brings us nearer to the days we will want to spend in the open. Nature will soon be clothed in her spring and summer beauty. We shall be prepared to get out in the open and enjoy her charms. Our wash goods department is appealing to many. Have you looked over our line and made your selection? We are anxious to show you the many new and popular cloths; you will be more than pleased with the line. The reception voiles are indeed very beautiful; they make up almost as nice as silks. You will find a large range of patterns. Palm Beach cloths are a good cloth for a medium weight dress or skirt. See those cotton foulards, silk embroidered voiles and Scotch ginghams for a good wash goods. We are showing a large line of tub silks. These are just what you want for a summer tub silk waist. We are selling lots of these silks for men's shirts.

A Perfect Figure

—can be had only when the line from shoulder to hip, both in the back and in the front, is smooth and unbroken.



Nemo Corsets
No. 322
SELF-REDUCING

NEMO CORSETS are famous for the good lines they give. There are models to "round out" the angular form, as well as models to reduce the figure that is too stout.

NEMO BRASSIERES are equally efficient in their service. They take away that ridge at the top of the corset, smooth down shoulder flesh and model the bust beautifully. They are self-adjusting to every figure—

"Fit as You Fasten"

Nemo Corsets—\$3.00 and up.

Nemo Brassieres—\$1.00, \$1.50, and up.

We have been very busy in our Millinery Department. Our line of popular Ready-Made Hats has appealed to the trade because of the large assortment of the snap and individuality which they possess. Here you will find a large and varied line of the newest and best popular Hat models, ready for you to wear. Notice how well they are made and the quality of Hat and materials.

Ladies' Garments

Nearly every express now is bringing new Coat and Suit models into our department. We have had some exceptionally high-grade Suits come into our department within the last few days. Blues seem to be gaining in popularity each day. Tans and Mixtures are in some demand. Serges are as popular as ever, and these cloths cannot be beaten for service. The Poiret Twills are one of the season's best materials.

We have some new things just received in Tan Coats. There is a demand for these Coats much beyond what we had anticipated, but our closeness to the market has enabled us to get quick deliveries on these popular models, and all cloths are All Wool. Blues and Blacks seem to be gaining in popularity all over. The factories are rushed to the limit at the present time. See our line of these popular models of the season's best values.



Smart Spring Footwear For Women



The Elva Boot, A to E width, fits snug under the arch and has that glove-like feeling. Per pair\$5.00 to \$8.00

Choice of 12 styles in Women's Fancy Colored Lace Boots, special, per pair\$6.00

Elite and Barry Dress Shoes for men, latest models and colored leathers, per pair,\$6.00 to \$9.00

Growing Girls' Lace Boots, sizes 2 1/2 to 6; Vici Kid Lace, Gun Metal Lace, Fibre Sole, Military Heel, etc., special, per pair,\$3.98

Boys' and Girls' Spring Shoes for all occasions; leather and fibre soles.

SHEA'S SHOE STORE

SATURDAY SPECIALS

TWO POUNDS OF SOUR PICKLES for 19c
FIVE POUNDS OF ONIONS for 15c
TWO CANS OF PEAS for 25c
POTATOES, per peck 25c
FIVE CAKES OF WORLD SOAP for 30c
FIVE CAKES OF BABBITT'S SOAP for 30c
EGGS, per dozen 41c

FRITZ W. JACKSON CO.

266 North Main Street,

Barre, Vermont

Good Trades for Saturday

Large sound Onions 8 lbs. for 25c
Macaroni (bulk) 2 lbs. for 25c
Rolled Oats 10 lbs. for 65c
Quaker Cornflakes, per package 10c
Buckwheat 10 lbs. for 95c
Cornstarch 3 packages for 25c
Shredded Coconut, per lb. 25c
Old Homestead Uncoated Rice, 1-lb. package 12c
Minced meat (bulk), per lb. 20c
Prunes 2 lbs. for 25c
Gallon cans of Apple, per can 50c
Home-Cured Dried Apple, per lb. 15c
Ginger Snaps, per lb. 15c

Dexter's and St. Johnsbury Bread

MEAT DEPARTMENT

Fancy Chickens, per lb. 40c
Lamb Fores, per lb., 28c; Lamb Chops, lb., 35c to 40c
Pork Roasts, per lb. 30c, 32c, 34c
Western Beef Roasts, per lb. 28c, 30c, 35c
Veal Roasts, per lb. 28c to 35c
Butt Steak, per lb. 28c
Bacon, sliced, per lb. 44c; whole strip, per lb. 38c
Boneless Shoulders, per lb. 30c
Home-Cured Hams, per lb. 32c
Pig's Liver 2 lbs. for 25c
Celery, Lettuce, Spinach, Radishes, Dandelions, Parsnips, Squash, Spanish Onions, Cabbage, Turnips, Beets and Carrots.

Houghton & Robins

TALK OF THE TOWN

See Abbott's wash silk waists. Special sheet music sale of all the latest hits at 10c a copy at Bailey's Music Rooms, 14 Elm street, Barre.

Miss Ruth Mackenzie returned yesterday from Montpelier, where she had been spending the Easter vacation with Miss Estella Barnes.

Mrs. Kenneth J. Kirk of St. Johnsbury has been passing several days at her former home in Maple Grove. Mr. Kirk was a recent Barre visitor.

One hundred and fifty dollars will buy a good upright piano to-day; slightly used, but a big bargain for someone. Bailey's Music Rooms, 14 Elm street.

Mrs. Dean W. Blodgett of Park street and her mother, Mrs. Goodspeed, who has been visiting in Barre for several weeks, left this morning for the latter's home in Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Abbott and daughter, Miss Marion Abbott, of Delmont avenue returned to the city this forenoon from Los Angeles and Whittier, Cal., where they have been making a visit for several months.

From the Morrisville Messenger, whose reporter witnessed the basketball game in which Spaulding won the championship Monday evening, is taken the following comment: "Burlington had the best of the game in the first half, but Barre's coach put a little more pep into his boys between innings and something on their feet so they could stand on the slippery dance floor of the gym, and then they went to work, tied the score, and the game seemed till time was called, the score standing 24 to 24. Another five minutes was given to play off the tie and Barre won."

WILLIAMSTOWN

Sum of \$168.87 For Armenian-Syrian Relief Forwarded.

The sum of \$168.87 has been forwarded from this town for Armenian and Syrian relief from the recent drive. One district is still to be heard from. The

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Special during April, color-fast, two-faced floor matting, also Congoleum, Feltonum and printed linoleum. Saddlers, Keith avenue.

Private Freeman Walker of Edgewood, who is enrolled as a student in the aviation school at Princeton university, returned to the city yesterday, after having been the guest of Charles Darling, Jr., in Lyndonville for a few days. Mr. Walker returns to Princeton next week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Morse pleasantly entertained the members of the Spaulding high school basketball team, which won the state interscholastic league championship against the Burlington high school team at Morrisville this week, together with Mr. and Mrs. James Kenelick, the former of whom had charge of the team during the past season, at their home on Tremont street last evening by an informal dinner.

The marriage of Miss Frances S. Butler of Barton, who has often visited friends in Barre, to Harley T. Seaver of Barton took place Tuesday evening, Rev. W. A. Warner officiating. Mrs. Seaver has been for several years employed in the bank at Barton and Mr. Seaver is a merchant and prominent business man of that place. Among those who attended was Miss Alice Blanchard of Barre.

Most of the travel to that city is still by team, however.

Mrs. Martha H. Doney is visiting her cousin, Willard E. Walker, of Montpelier.

Ardyn L. Hayward, who has been in California the past winter, is again at home.

School in the Gale district will re-open next Monday, the 8th, in charge of Miss Lackey of Montpelier. Other schools in town do not open till the 16th.

Mrs. Frank E. Lang and Miss Lizzie Townsend of Barre were in town yesterday on a visit to relatives and friends.

Harley T. Martin is having some changes made in his blacksmith shop to make it more convenient for the repairing of autos. The stairs leading to the second story have been removed to the rear of the shop, making the front of the room wider and the swing doors in the front are replaced by roll doors and the opening made wider. John A. Perry has charge of the work and is assisted by Thomas D. Poland.

Methodist church—Divine worship next Lord's day. Morning service begins at 10:45. Sunday school at noon. Union evening service in Congregational church at 7:30. Epworth league Tuesday evening at 7:30.

Congregational church—Morning worship at 10:45; sermon topic, "The Great Commission." Sunday school at noon. Union service at 7:30 p. m. C. E. meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30; topic, "The Christian Duty and Privilege of Bible Reading."

The road to Barre is reported to be now in fair shape for autos and it is said that there is less mud than common, due to there being no frost in the ground.

Fancy Western Beef!



IT'S A PLEASURE FOR US TO SERVE WITH POLITENESS, TO BUSINESS IT ADDS THE RIGHT TOUCH OF BRIGHTNESS!

Rib Roasts, lb., 28c and 30c

Best Round Steak, lb. 32c

Best Rump and Sirloin

Steak Saturday only .38c

Hamburg Steak, lb. .23c

Beef Sausage, lb. .23c

Tomato Sausage, Saturday, per lb. .25c

Handy's Frankforts are the best, per lb. .28c

Plenty of that "Green Mountain Brand" Ham to go with Fresh Eggs.

Finnan Haddies, per lb. .15c

Oysters are fine. Shell Clams.

Honeysuckle Salt Cod Fish, per package .25c

Cod Bits, Special Saturday and Monday, per lb. .15c

Fancy Eastern Halibut, Salmon, Haddock, Cod, etc.

Dried Salt Haddock, per lb. .15c

Plenty of Maple Syrup.

Bananas, Oranges, and Oregon Apples.

Pie Apples, per peck .30c

Another lot of Japan Tea, Saturday .5 lbs. for \$1.40

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Good Values at Ladd's!

Babbitt's, World, Star and Naptha Soap .4 for 25c
4 lbs. World's Powder, 25c; 1776 5c
Palmswept Brooms, a serviceable article 50c
Our No. 19 Coffee, per lb. 19c
S. B. Special Blend Coffee, per lb. 21c
Green Japan Tea, 29c; Oolong Tea, per lb. 35c
E. B. Java Tea, lb. 39c; Burns Blend Tea, lb. 50c

BAKERY DEPARTMENT

Baked Beans and Brown Bread for Saturday.
Victory Bread, made with barley flour and white corn flour, government standard, cash and carry, per loaf, 9c and 14c.
Graham, Rye, Raisin, Nut and Fruit Bread.
Sponge Cakes, each, 15c; Jelly Rolls, each 15c
Orange, Marble, Canadian War and Marshmallow Cakes.

MEAT DEPARTMENT

Fowls and Chickens for Saturday.
Beef Roasts from best western beef, lb. .26c and 30c
Lamb, Veal, and Native Pig Pork.
Dandelions, Spinach, Cucumbers, Cauliflowers, Lettuce, Celery and Squash. Parsnips, per lb. 4c

FISH DEPARTMENT

Whiting for Saturday 3 lbs. for 25c
Finnan Haddies are lower; per lb. 15c
Clams, Shad and Fresh Salmon.
Plain Olives, pint, 15c; Stuffed Olives, pint 25c

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